

The Rush County Drainage Board met in their regular meeting place in the Rush County courthouse on May 21, 2012 at 10:45 a.m. with the following present: Marvin L. Cole, T.H. Barnes, Ken Masters, members; Leigh Morning, Board attorney; Marvin L. Rees, Surveyor; Michele Gordon, secretary. Also present was Mark Bacon.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved and signed by motion of Masters, with a 2<sup>nd</sup> by Barnes.

BLOUNT-FLETCHER TILE

A motion was made by Barnes, with a 2<sup>nd</sup> by Masters, to sign the certificate of reconstruction assessments. Motion carried.

NANCY & WALTER B HILL DRAIN

The Surveyor reported that work will be done on this drain under the county road. Current maintenance assessments should cover the cost of this repair.

HENRY SCHRADER TILE

A hearing was held quite some time ago approving the reconstruction of this tile. Because of the length of time that has elapsed without the project being started, the Surveyor suggested to the Board that a new estimate be presented and a new hearing date scheduled. This will be done at the next Board meeting.

ALBERT ROBINSON TILE

Phil Wright came before the Board explaining that an obstruction along the fencerow between himself and his neighbor is blocking the natural flow of water. He is asking the Surveyor to come out and investigate this problem.

RECONSTRUCTION PAYMENT POLICY

The Surveyor would like to meet with Mark Bacon, Bruce Levi and Ken Masters to discuss a policy for future reconstruction projects concerning pre-paying assessments, acquiring loans, etc.

BIG FLATROCK RIVER OPEN DRAIN

The on-site review with DNR will be this coming Wednesday, May 23, 2012. The starting point will be at the Surveyor's office at 10:00 a.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board a motion to adjourn was made by Barnes, with a 2<sup>nd</sup> by Masters. Motion carried.

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Marvin L. Cole

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T.H. Barnes

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Ken Masters